## NONPROVISIONAL PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the nonprovisional patent application

For (Title):

ELECTRIC DISCHARGE MACHINING ELECTRODE

By (Inventors):

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	A Declaration and Power of Attorney is filed herewith.
	This application claims benefit of Provisional Application No filed
	(A Preliminary Amendment is attached to reflect this claim in the Specification if not already present.)
$\boxtimes$	This patent application is assigned to MITUTOYO CORPORATION.
	The executed Assignment is filed herewith.
$\boxtimes$	An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith.
	Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.
	A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith.
$\boxtimes$	Priority of foreign application No. 2003-046248 filed February 24, 2003 in JAPAN is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).
_	A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is filed herewith.
	This application is NOT to be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b). The undersigned attorney or agent hereby certifies that
_	the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or
	under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication of applications 18 months after filing.
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## CLAIMS IN THE APPLICATION AFTER ENTRY OF ANY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT NOTED ABOVE

Formal drawings (Figs. <u>1-4</u>; <u>2</u> sheets) are attached.

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TOTAL CLAIMS	4 - 20	= 0
INDEP CLAIMS	1 - 3	= 0
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x 9=	\$	<u>OR</u>		
x 43 =	\$	<u>OR</u>		
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Check No. 151125 in the amount of \$770 to cover the filing fee is attached. Except as otherwise noted herein, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

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